

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the Abstract with the following amended Abstract:

An inlet (11a) and an exit (11b) are formed at opposite ends of a chamber (11), and transporting device (12) is moved into the chamber from the inlet toward the outlet. The transporting device is constituted to transport a plurality of food products works (19) at predetermined intervals. Disposed within the chamber is a pair of electrode plates (13, 14) along the longitudinal direction of the transporting device and at predetermined distances from the food products works, respectively so as to interpose the works food products between the pair of electrode plates. Smoke to be adhered to and infiltrated into works food products is constitutionally generated by smoke generating device (16) and introduced into the chamber. Applied between the pair of electrode plates is a DC voltage or AC voltage of 7 kV to 15 kV by a high voltage generating circuit, and food products works are grounded, this reduces the amount of electric power consumption, downsizes the apparatus, and renders the smoke to uniformly adheres to and infiltrates into food products works, to thereby improve the quality of smoked foods.